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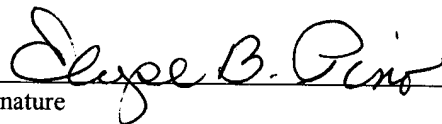
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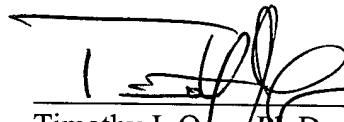
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Sir:

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This will authorize you to charge the extension fee of \$460.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) to Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this document is enclosed.

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